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POLICE DEPARTMENT

Friday, 06/03/2005

FAILURE TO STOP & RENDER AID 03-346308

ATTENTION ALL OFFICERS AND CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES: The Special Traffic Investigations Section (STI) continues to investigate an STI Cold Case that occurred over a year ago.

On Friday, 12/12/2003 at approximately 6:47 PM, a collision occurred at 1000 N. Copia Street @ 3600 Montana. The PEDESTRIAN, Leopoldo DERAS 60 yoa, was killed as a result of injuries sustained in the collision. The vehicle wanted in this case was last seen fleeing north bound on Copia street.

Previous descriptions issued in this case provided a range of years for the vehicle and different makes and models. STI investigators have now determined a more accurate description of the vehicle involved.



SUBJECT VEHICLE: 1988 Ford Taurus 4D, possibly white or light gray in color as the dominant color of the vehicle. Investigators have now determined the left front portion of the valance/skirt/apron directly below the front bumper was definitely affected in the crash and was damaged. The COLOR OF THE VALANCE at the time of the crash was absolutely and most definitely **BLACK IN COLOR**. Understand that this part could have been painted and or replaced by this time.

There should also be some soft damage to the left side of the hood if it hasn't been repaired or replaced by now.

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